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OREGON WEATHER

Fair; heavy to killing frost + tonight; gentle westerly winds.



POLITICAL HIRELINGS

While the government employment service is trying to lay the foundation for a demand for another enormous appropriation for the continuance of its large personnel by sending out publicity matter concerning unemployment, the classified advertising columns of the daily press contain an overwhelming preponderance of advertisements for help. The fact is that there is no shortage of jobs.

The war department refused to adopt a policy of demobilization that would insure getting the discharged soldiers back to their homes, and the result is that there is congestion in some places, near demobilization camps. There is some unemployment, due to men not being willing to take the jobs available. But the advertising columns of the daily papers leave no doubt whatever that there is more demand for help than there is for jobs. The chief task of the government employment service at present is to secure a new appropriation for the maintenance of one of the biggest "deserving" organizations in the history of the country.

As proof of this assertion, pick up any daily paper and you will see advertisements for hundreds of workmen. "Help wanted" advertisements are conspicuous by their numerical preponderance. Taking these advertisements as a criterion, it would seem that there is no scarcity of jobs.

AFTER COMMISSION'S SCALP

The Oregon Sportsmen's League has started a movement to rid the state fish and game commission of its dual control by political interests. The Roseburg News in commenting on the movement, says:

"Since 1915 commercial interests have dominated the commission's affairs so completely that last year's record shows that only 3,694,170 game trout were liberated, while expenditures from the game fund were \$93,401.69, and that in the same time \$66,090.00 was expended from the commercial fund, resulting in the liberation of 35,395,155 salmon fry. Not only have we failed to liberate more trout as the years go by, but we have actually seen the number decrease. To this there is only one answer. Absolute depletion of our streams."

President Wilson, by ordering the George Washington to sail immediately for France, has stirred the French government to its founda-



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tion. While all loyal Americans are solidly "for" the French people, yet the president cannot be blamed for the order. The peace conference has dallied too long already and thousands of people are being killed daily because there is no peace on earth. It is hoped that the president's order will bring the Paris conferees to their senses.

Old John Silver and the kings of the Spanish Main must roll over in their graves every time Al Burlison issues one of his dismissal orders. They do doubt feel that they are being outdone when it comes to piratical methods. The sooner Al takes a long, long vacation from Washington the better it will be for the people.

The new Hungarian soviet has asked all Hungarians in the United States to "come home to the new fatherland and enjoy the fruits of

the recent revolution." Isn't there some way to speed the movement?

CROWDED HOUSE HEARS INTERESTING SERMON

A crowded house heard and saw the demonstration and work of the Boy Scouts at the Church of Christ last evening. Mr. Macduff set forth in a forceful and understandable way the objectives of the organization and made a plea to parents to cooperate in making successful this splendid enterprise.

Mr. Drake spoke on the subject of "American Patriotism," taking the position that in view of the history and principles of our republic that a man must be thoroughly Christian to be thoroughly American. In support of this he referred to the motive that led to the settlements on our shores in the beginning. Reference was also made to the spirit of Christian teaching and life that re-

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flected in all the documents, constitutions and charaters of the early colonies. Too, he contended that our educational institutions, which by all are conceded to be vital to our nation, were largely built and fostered by Christian men and for the purpose of giving Christian education. Finally he pointed out that the principles of Christianity are today and ever have been, the permeating influence in our growth and development.

There were three confessions and one baptism at the close of the meeting.

Tonight Mrs. Knapp will sing. The subject of the discourse is, "The Three Salvations."

FERRYDALE

Mrs. D. G. Robertson, daughter, Leona, and son Harold, were at Grants Pass Tuesday.

Fred Knox was at E. C. Neely's Monday looking at some beef cattle. Stanley Ogden spent Saturday night with Harry Neely.

F. N. Robertson and little son, Willard, were at Grants Pass Tuesday.

Mr. Counts, of Grants Pass, was in this vicinity Sunday.

Chas. Dora and son, George Dora, and Delbert Van Dorn were in Grants Pass Tuesday.

George Jones and wife were at Cook's farm below Merlin Monday on business.

Carl Farmer was visiting Willie Frankum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Hussey was at Grants Pass Wednesday.

The Misses Myrtle and Malinda Ford spent the week end at their home in Ferrydale, returning Sunday evening to Grants Pass.

Mrs. E. C. Neely, sons, Harry and Paul, and Mrs. Melle Johnson were at Grants Pass Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hill were visiting at Mr. Lemon's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Robertson entertained the young people of this vicinity Saturday evening, the party was in honor of Miss Gertrude Robertson's birthday, who is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Robertson. Those who were in attendance reported spending a very pleasant evening.

When Did Civil War End?

Ask anybody the date of the Civil war's end. The answer will invariably be: "April, 1865." But, in a literal sense, that answer is all wrong.

The supreme court declared that the Civil war came to an end "at the period designated in the proclamation of the president of the United States."

That proclamation was dated April 2, 1865. Thus the Civil war came to a formal conclusion on that date, not in April of 1865.

"Up to and before that date" (April 2, 1866), says Secretary of State Bayard's decision, "the insurrection in those (the confederate) states was held to exist. After that date it was held to be at an end."

Some Proposal

Edith—So Mr. Bronson proposed to you. Did you accept him?

Ethel—Mercy, no! He's too awfully matter of fact. Why, he proposed by asking me if I felt favorably disposed toward a unification of interests.—Boston Transcript.

What is the difference between a railroad during a rate war, and a meat man?



The railroad meets the cut, but the meat man cuts the meat!

YOUR FAVORITE CUT AWAITS YOU HERE. PUT UP IN STYLE WHEN YOU APPEAR WE'RE HERE TO SERVE YOU WELL AND FAST! OUR SPEED MAKES MANY STAND AGHAST! THIS IS THE PLACE FOR CHOICE MEATS IN A HURRY!

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